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Abstract (en)
[origin: EP1087569A2] A novel method and apparatus for managing communication transactions between electronic appliances is presented. The invention includes a source input/output (I/O) communications function (152) which establishes a first communication link (115) between the apparatus and a source appliance (112), and a destination I/O communications function (154, 156, 158, 160) which establishes a second communication link (162, 164, 166) between said apparatus and a destination appliance (114). The apparatus (130) stores and executes a communications program (143) in program memory (144) which manages communications transactions between the source I/O communications function (152) and destination communications function (154, 156, 158, 160). <IMAGE>

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